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MEMORIAL FUND COMMITTEE.

The Memorial Fund Committee, of which James M. Caldwell, is chairman, held a social meeting in the Circuit Court room in the court house, in joint session with the trustees recently appointed by the Bourbon Fiscal Court, the Paris Board of Council and Bourbon Post, American Legion.

A report of the finances was read and explained by John M. Brennan, and a list of the delinquent pledges was divided among the members of the committee, with instructions to collect all the pledges by Saturday. Arrangement was made for the Memorial Fund Committee to retain control of the Memorial Building, at the corner of Broadway and High, until it has been entirely paid for and is free from indebtedness of any nature whatever.

The Board of Trustees, acting upon the advice of a member from the Memorial Fund Committee and a member from Bourbon Post, American Legion, will arrange a program for Armistice Day, to dedicate the building, Miss Lucy Blythe Simms will represent the Memorial Fund Committee, and Harold F. Harris, secretary of the Paris Commercial Club, will represent the American Legion, on the program committee for the Armistice Day exercises.

Members of the Board of Trustees are: Mrs. Allie Smith Dickson, of North Middletown, Mrs. James McClure, N. Ford Brent, Jos. W. Davis, Clifton Arnsperger, and Mrs. W. O. Hinton.

DON'T FAIL TO REGISTER TO-DAY

To-day and to-morrow are extra registration days for those who were out of the city, or were sick or detained at home by reason of illness of some member of the family, on the regular registration day. Don't fail to register to-day or to-morrow. This is essential. Every vote will count in the election, even if there is a dearth of opposition. Registration books will open in the County Clerk's office from six a. m. to nine p. m.

It should be borne in mind by the voters of Paris who are entitled to register on these special registration days that this registration not only qualifies them to vote in the November election, but also to vote in the State primary next August, as there will be no further registration before that time.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

At the recent meeting of the Board of Council, held in the Council Chamber of the City Hall, it was decided that all violators of the city ordinances should be tried in the future by Police Judge Ernest Martin, in the police court, instead of in the County Court, as has been the custom heretofore.

Mayor E. B. January presided at the meeting. The following Councilmen were present: Doyle, Kenney, Santen, Skillman, Henry and Speakes, and City Attorney C. A. McMillan.

The sum of \$250 was appropriated by the city toward the purchase of an automobile for the use of Mrs. Harriet Minaker, Visiting Nurse for the Bourbon County Health and Welfare League. An ordinance pertaining to the testing of cows for tuberculin, which was passed several weeks ago, was amended so as to allow veterinarians who are not graduates but have the proper credentials, to make those tests.

An order was made to refund Philip Hopkins the sum of \$5.00 as the unexpired part of a city license. A complaint was made by George W. Stuart of an unfair assessment of his property on Mt. Airy and the matter was referred to the Grievance Committee, to be reported at the next meeting.

After considerable discussion a majority of the Councilmen, voted that John M. Stuart be granted a permit to hold a dance once a week from now on until May, 1923, without paying an additional license over what he paid this year. The vote on the proposition stood four for and two against.

The Council approved a suggestion that each member of the police force be provided for the winter with new overcoats and shoes. An additional electrician was ordered appointed at the fire department.

SOME SHOOTING

The Bourbon Gun Club will hold its last shoot of the season Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 1, and it will sure be "some shooting." A large crowd will be out, all trying to win one of the eight trophies that are now on display in the Sweet Shop window. As this is a 100-target race, added bird handicap, all shooters must be on the ground and entered by 2:30 to shoot for trophies. Shooters arriving after that time will be allowed to shoot, but not for the trophies. Visitors welcome.

ROXIE DAVIS, Secretary.

THE GRIDIRON FIELD

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

St. Xavier's School, 7; Paris High School, 0.
Flemingsburg High, 14; Ashland High, 0.
Nicholasville, 12; Richmond, 7.
Kentucky University, 7; Sewanee, 0.

Centre, 32; Louisville, 7.
Sewanee Freshmen, 7; Centre 0.
Eastern State Normal, 6; Cumberland College, 0.

Chattanooga, 40; Transylvania 6.
Georgetown, 0; Morris Harvey, 0.
Louisville Manual, 26; St. Xavier High, (Cincinnati) 20.

The North Middletown High School football team defeated the second team from the Mt. Sterling High School, at North Middletown, Saturday afternoon by a score of 37 to 0.

Cynthiana High School defeated the Millersburg Military Institute in a one-sided game, by the score of 39 to 0, on Cynthiana grounds.

One of the largest crowds of the season witnessed the football game at Hancock Field Saturday afternoon between the St. Xavier's College team, of Louisville, and the Paris High School team, which was called promptly at 2:15 o'clock. The game was fought to a finish by both squads, the St. Xavier's team making a touchdown in the final quarter, making the score 7 to 0 in favor of the visitors. The Louisville boys showed speed in their plays, for the most part long forward passes. Paris manifested a stronger punch in line plays and short bucks off tackle. Time of quarters, 12 minutes; referee, W. G. Nash, (Georgetown College); umpire, Arnsperger, (Centre College); head linesman, Thos. Link (Kentucky University.)

Substitutes: For Paris, McCarty for Williams, Turner for McCann, "Young" Taylor for Turner, Christman for "Young" Taylor; for St. Xavier, Schwab for Hallahan. The Paris team was minus the support of two good men, Nash and Dalzelle, whose presence would have contributed very materially toward gaining a victory over the Fall City boys. A large number of former Parisians residing in Louisville made the day a "homecoming" to see the game and the old town.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS.

ON ACCOUNT OF THIS DROUTH OUR WATER SUPPLY MAY BE SO REDUCED AS TO NECESSITATE A LIMITED SERVICE TO CONSUMERS. WILL ASK ALL TO ECONOMIZE IN USE OF WATER, ESPECIALLY THROUGH ROSE. PARIS WATER COMPANY. (oct31-nov 3)

DR. MARSHALL HEAD OF STATE CHIROPRACTORS

Dr. Lillard T. Marshall, of Lexington, was elected president of the Kentucky Association of Chiropractors at the closing session of its annual convention in the Phoenix Hotel, at Lexington, Saturday. The next convention of the association will be on the last Friday and Saturday in October, 1923, in Lexington.

After the close of the morning session luncheon was served in the dining room. At 1:30 the meeting was reopened and the final business of the convention discussed. Upon calling the roll it was found that over 100 delegates were present.

The other officers elected for the coming year are as follows: Dr. W. H. Dunn, Louisville, vice-president; Dr. F. C. Huber, Louisville, secretary; Dr. Homer Marshall, Frankfort, treasurer. The board of directors will be composed of the following: Doctors J. H. Durham, Clell Fowler, J. A. Ohlson, J. R. Garr, all of Louisville, and S. P. Mohney, of Paris.

Dr. Marshall said that the meeting was a great success and expressed a desire that the next convention will be as well attended.

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PROMPT SETTLEMENT

Louis Wollstein, secretary of the Insurance department of Rathbone Lodge, K. of P., Paris, yesterday paid to Mrs. Mark Herrington \$2,000, being the amount of a policy held in the order by her husband, who died here a short time ago.

ALL READY FOR THE HALLOWEEN PROGRAM

A cordial invitation is hereby extended to all the people of Paris and Bourbon county to attend the Community Halloween entertainment to be given in front of the court house to-night. All arrangements have been perfected for having a real good time. A program has been arranged that will furnish amusement for both old and young, the grown-ups and the children alike.

The following is the program to be observed to-night:

Grand march begins promptly at 7:30 o'clock, p. m.; judging and awarding of costume prizes, \$5 for the most original costume, \$5 for the most comical costume, \$5 for the best historical costume, Judges, Mrs. Wm. G. Talbott, Mrs. James McClure, Mrs. Harry Kerslake, Mrs. John F. Davis; community games on the court house lawn, under direction of Mrs. J. C. Nickerson and assistants; band concert; intermission; announcement of winners of window display contest, first prize, \$15, second, \$10, third \$5; community singing under direction of professional song leaders; community games; band concert; refreshments and "good night," continuous attractions, band concert; Zaza Alla fortune teller.

The full width of Main street in front of the court house will be roped off, and kept free from vehicle traffic, so that the children will be in no danger. The first floor of the court house will be lighted and open for the convenience of those who attend.

Come in mask, or unmasked and spend an enjoyable few hours on this great national holiday. You will be amused and entertained. Let all cares go and attend the big Halloween affair in front of the court house to-night.

COURT NEWS

Sheriff M. Peale Collier and Deputy Sheriff R. M. Gilkey paid a visit Saturday afternoon to the farm of Wm. Johnson on the old Hill pike near the Scott and Bourbon county line. They placed John J. Hill under arrest on a charge of having a moonshine still in his possession, and brought him to Paris. It developed that the still, one of the most complete all-copper affairs of 30-gallon capacity, was located just across the line in Scott county, though Hill resided in Bourbon. Sixty gallons of fresh mash were found beside the still. This was poured out, and the still and prisoner brought to the Sheriff's office. When arraigned in the County Court before County Judge George Batterton, Hill confessed that he had been operating the plant for over a year, and entered a plea of guilty to the charge. He was held to the grand jury in \$500 bond, in default of which he was sent to jail.

Mike Walters, white, who gave three members of the Paris police force a hard fight before he would submit to arrest, was arraigned before Judge Ernest Martin in Police Court and given a fine of \$10 and costs and a jail sentence of thirty days. The jail sentence was afterward suspended. In assisting in the arrest and during the struggle with Walters, Patrolman Roy Turner sustained a sprained back, which incapacitated him for duty for a short time.

WHOSE CAR WAS IT?

Residents in the vicinity of Fourteenth and High streets are wondering as to the identity of the two young women whose car described a parabolic curve at an early hour yesterday morning, and landed in a rather rude manner against a telephone pole near the corner, wrecking the car and also the pole. The pole was broken in two places and the car was rendered hors de combat.

It was stated that the two young women, whose identity is still an undetermined quantity, were cut and bruised by flying glass, but they managed to get away from the scene without anyone being the wiser as to who they were. Later on the car was called for and taken away, but everyone maintained an air of secrecy, no information being vouchsafed that would throw light on the affair. It was not even possible to find out what garage, if any, the damaged car had been taken to, in spite of queries made for that purpose.

AGED NEGRO DEAD

"Uncle" Silas Robinson, an aged colored servant in the employ of Jno. M. Clay, at Clay's Cross Roads, near Paris, died suddenly last week from a stroke of apoplexy. He was approaching the Clay residence in company with Mr. Clay and two servants when he was stricken. He had been a faithful servant in the Clay family for many years.

SEED SALE AUTHORIZED AT MEETING

A special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Central Kentucky Bluegrass Seed Co-operative Association was held Friday afternoon, in the offices of the Bourbon Agricultural Bank and Trust Company, in this city. An agreement was entered into the permit growers who are members of the association to sell two carloads of bluegrass seed each at twenty-four cents a pound.

A considerable amount of the seed has already been sold, it was stated, but the price was not made public.

Members of the committee who attended the Paris meeting were: John W. Jones, secretary, North Middletown; Wm. D. McIntyre, Millersburg, representing Bourbon county; Thomas Brock, Wm. Chester, representing Clark county; Robt. Gay, Woodford county; J. D. Marshall, Fayette county.

PARIS GIRL IN POPULARITY CONTEST

Misses Kattie Conroy, of Mt. Sterling; Martha Pate, of Hartford; Margaret Lavin, of Paris, Margaret Cornley and Frances Smith, of Lexington, and Ann Hickman, of Washington, were declared winners in the annual popularity contest held at the University of Kentucky.

Miss Conroy, who is a senior student at the University and editor of the Kentuckian, the college annual, received the largest number of votes 609 being cast for her, almost 200 more than were received by any other student. Miss Conroy was declared in the contest last year one of the most popular girls at the University.

Miss Martha Pate, who received the second highest number of votes, is a junior at the University and sponsor of the band. She was declared last year the most popular girl in the sophomore class.

CITY TAXES DUE; PAY UP NOW

THE CITY TAX LISTS HAVE BEEN TURNED OVER TO ME FOR COLLECTION. YOUR TAXES ARE NOW DUE AND PAYABLE. CALL AND SETTLE SAME PROMPTLY AT MY OFFICE AT THE PEOPLE'S DEPOSIT BANK & TRUST COMPANY.

C. K. THOMAS, Collector.

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MURDERER TO BE ELECTROCUTED

During the second week in November, Elias Ridge, the negro who cruelly murdered Mrs. George Adair, formerly Miss Wellington Smith, of Paris, at her home near Pensacola, Okla., on August 8, will pay the penalty of his crime by being electrocuted at the Oklahoma State penitentiary.

Following the murder Ridge was placed in the Craig county jail, and a mob of eight hundred men made an unsuccessful attempt to lynch him. The attempt was frustrated and Ridge was spirited away. He made a confession, in which he stated that the deed was planned by an older negro, his brother-in-law. The latter has been tried and given a life sentence in the penitentiary. These two were the only negroes in that section of Oklahoma. They were given 160 acres of land by the government and settled on it. The land adjoins the Adair farm and since the murder it has been sold to neighbors.

THE PRESBYTERIAN REVIVAL

Dr. Ernest Thacker, who is to hold a two-weeks' revival meeting at the Paris Presbyterian church, arrived Saturday, with his song leader, Prof. T. B. Roddy. The meeting began Sunday with a large attendance, the edifice being comfortably crowded with an interested audience. Services were held both morning and evening.

Yesterday morning Dr. Thacker held services, taking for his theme, "The Conditions of Assured Success," and in the evening, "The Greatest Revival I Have Ever Seen." Dr. Thacker has been in strictly evangelistic work in the Southern Presbyterian church for the past seventeen years. Services will be held each day during the two weeks, except on Saturdays, at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

The community has held a series of business men's prayer meetings during the past week in preparation for the revival, the last one being held Saturday afternoon, in the office of the Paris Commercial Club.

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